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In re Application of:

Mark (nmi) Albert, et al.

Title:

NETWORK ADDRESSES TRANSLATION USING  
A FORWARDING AGENT

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Dear Sir:

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

Applicant respectfully requests, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, that the references listed on the attached PTO-1449 form, and previously cited in U.S. Application Serial No. 09/347,109, filed July 2, 1999 by Applicant and entitled "Network Address Translation Using a Forwarding Agent," be considered and cited in the examination of the above-identified continuation patent application. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(d), copies of these references are not being furnished. Furthermore, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(h), no representation is made that these references qualify as prior art or that these references are material to the patentability of the present application.


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